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1. ACCORDING TO MARCH 26 AL AHRAH, PRC/GOE 1978 TRADE
PROTOCOL WAS SIGNED BY PRC FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER LIA
CHIANG AND MINTRADE AND SUPPLY TEWFIK. VOLUME OF TRADE
UNDER PROTOCOL WILL REPORTEDLY TOTAL \$120 MILLION, UP
\$7 MILLION FROM 1977. ACCORDING TO AL AHRAH, CHINESE
EXPORTS WILL INCLUDE \$15 MILLION WORTH OF TEXTILES IN
ADDITION TO UNSPECIFIED AMOUNTS OF MEAT, FROZEN POULTRY,
"PRESERVED" FISH, TOBACCO AND TEA. GOE EXPORTS (REPORTED-
LY TOTALLING \$47 MILLION) INCLUDE COTTON, PHOSPHATES,
CITRUS FRUITS, RICE AND A NUMBER OF UNSPECIFIED INDUSTRIAL
PRODUCTS AND COMMODITIES, ACCORDING TO PRESS."

2. COMMENT: FIGURES REPORTED BY PRESS SOUND APPROXIMATE-
LY CORRECT. PRESS DOES NOT GIVE MANY DETAILS, BUT IT
APPEARS REPORTED \$7 MILLION INCREASE IN TRADE VOLUME DUE
TO INCREASED ORDERS FOR COMMODITIES TRADITIONALLY CARRIED
ON PROTOCOL LIST. NO NEW ITEMS, SUCH AS PETROLEUM,
APPARENTLY INCLUDED IN 1978 PROTOCOL. EILTS

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